# New Legislative Measures

HB 1189 & HB 243

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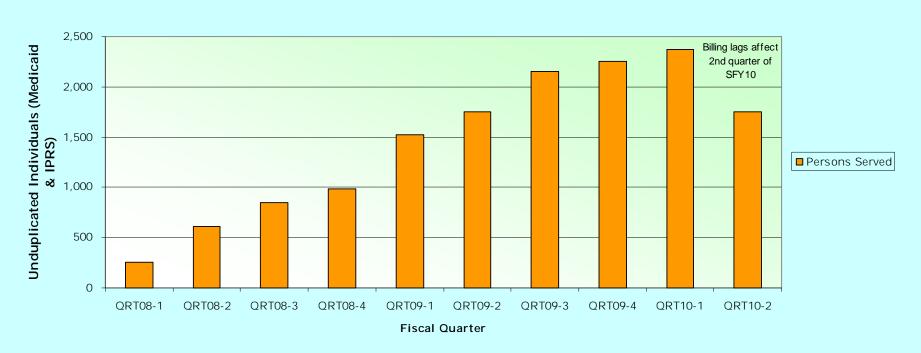
#### HB1189

- Outpatient Commitment Process
  - Communication
- Use of Telepsychiatry for IVC Process
  - Increase access to psychiatry and psychology for IVC
  - Improve quality of the evaluation
  - Decrease wait times in the ED

### Example

ECU Department of Psychiatry will employ three psychiatrists to specifically work through telepsychiatry with emergency departments throughout the east to provide psychiatry to underserved emergency departments.

## Telepsychiatry: Persons Served SFY08 - SFY10 YTD Medicaid and IPRS Claims Data



#### HB 243

Release from IVC after first evaluation

Outpatient commitment

Continued IVC

Training for New Legislative Measures (HB 1189 and 243) Related to Emergency Departments

http://www.ncdhhs.gov/mhddsas/whatsnew.htm